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Gifts and bequests for the furtherance of the Society’s work will be gratefully received. Such remembrances, in various forms, are appropriate permanent memorials to the interests of an individual or a group. A representative of the Society will be glad to consult with anyone wishing to make a gift or to establish a bequest or endowment. Address the Executive Director, KANSAS STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY, 120 W. Tenth St., Topeka, Kan. 66612.

THE COVER

Snow Hall of Natural History completed in 1886 at the University of Kansas, Lawrence. It served the natural science departments of the university over 40 years until being replaced by a new Snow Hall which was completed in 1930. Inset, Francis H. Snow (1840-1908) for whom the building was named. For more information on Snow and for his diaries, 1903-1907, see pp. 101-132. Photographs courtesy of Watkins Community Museum, Lawrence.